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Paraparaumu Beach School

Newsletter 2017/22

25 July 2017

Upcoming Events

TERM 3

Week 1

Tues, 25 July

- Hinepau Show (for whole school)

Week 3

Mon, 7-Thurs, 10 August

- ERO visit to PBS
Mon, 7 August
- Powhiri for ERO—1pm
Wed, 8 August
- Junior Winter Tournament (p/p 11 August)

Week 4

Wed, 16 August

- Parent Teacher interviews (**SCHOOL CLOSING AT 2PM**)
Thurs, 17 August
- Senior Winter Tournament



WELCOME TO NEW STUDENTS

Welcome to the following students who started this week at our school:

Toby, Kaya and Margarita — all in Rm 22.

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Kia Ora and Welcome to Term 3

With these chilly nights, I'm guessing your firewood pile is as low as mine. Mind you, the Kapiti Coast has been very lucky in comparison to other parts of NZ; so let's just grin and bear it. Roll on Spring!

Firstly, a big PBS WELCOME ~ Nau mai, Haere mai ~ to our new teaching staff; Abby Lovett Rm 28, Kerry Knap Rm21 and Sheryl McKnight Rm 17. We are delighted to have you join our school family and hope you feel welcome and supported. Have a great term.

Term 3 is another ten week term and as mentioned previously, we are hosting the ERO (Education Review Office) team in the third week. The ERO team will be evaluating our school processes, checking areas of compliance and reviewing student achievement. We look forward to making them feel welcome at the school we are so proud of.

When reading and signing off 600+ mid-year reports last term, I was first and foremost delighted with the breadth of student progress and achievement. **Every child had something to celebrate, whether it was super behaviour, a great attitude to learning, sporting success or academic progress. Well done!**

However, on the flip side, I also noted an increase in the number of students getting to school late on a regular basis. When the 'number of late arrivals' start to reach double digits, concern starts to creep in. Time management and punctuality are life skills; please help your child in this area if needed. Thank you.

Ka kite ano, Jess Ward – Principal/Tumuaki

TERM 3 PARENT-TEACHER INTERVIEWS

With ERO visiting to conduct their review in Week 3 this term, we have had to push our parent-teacher interviews out to Week 4. These will be held on WEDNESDAY, 16 AUGUST (afternoon and evening). In order to accommodate enough interview slots the school will be closing at 2pm on this day. Please ensure you have made arrangements for an early pick-up time on this day.

Bookings will close at 9am on Wednesday, 16 August. Unfortunately, late bookings cannot be taken, but you can email the class teacher at any time to make alternative arrangements to meet.

To book interviews times:

- Go to www.schoolinterviews.co.nz/home
- Enter the school events code **687xc**
- Click 'Go' and follow the prompts

If you do not have access to a computer, then please contact the school office to arrange an appointment. As always, if you cannot attend interviews on this date, alternative arrangements can be made directly with your child's class teacher. Please note there is only one interview slot available per child.

The school library will be open on this afternoon and evening for children who wish to wait indoors whilst parents are meeting teachers. If it is a cold winter's night, then this will be a cosy place to keep warm.



SIR PETER BLAKE LEADERSHIP AWARD

Congratulations to Annabel Logan who was awarded the prestigious Sir Peter Blake Leadership Award at the end of Term 2. We were delighted to be able to coincide this presentation with our end of term School Assembly, so that all the students could share in Annabel's success.



Annabel was awarded this accolade for her leadership within the school and on the student council. She is a highly responsible and reliable student, with an excellent attitude to learning and school life in general. Annabel gives everything her absolute best effort, whether on the sports field, in academic endeavours and in her daily interactions with others. She is selfless and an excellent role model to her peers. Excellent achievement Annabel; we are very proud of you!

FAMILY DONATIONS

Thank you for the family donations we received last term. These payments, although voluntary, are valued and appreciated, as they enable us to provide curriculum extras. So far this year, family donations have been down significantly on previous years, which may be a sign of the times. However, we do appreciate every dollar donated, even if you cannot pay the full amount.



THANK YOU!

Hopefully you all received and read the letter that came home yesterday about our new online payment system, KINDO. We hope that over time parents will find this an easy way to pay for school trips, shows and donations. We've already had some positive feedback from parents who used it last night!

KIDS QUOTE

In the last few days of Term 2, a six year old girl approached me on gate duty.

Student: "I really liked your speech yesterday" (referring to my speech at our School Assembly re: Personal Best).

Ms Ward: "That's great. What did you like about it?"

Student: "It was really encouraging!"

Ms Ward: "What goal do you think you will work on next term?"

Student: "Making some new friends."



MID-WEEK MUNCHIES ARE BACK

Every Wednesday morning tea time for the next 5 weeks. This is a Year 7/8 camp fundraiser. This week we are selling yummy baked goods outside Rm 8 for \$1 and \$2.



REUSE, RECYCLE

Te Motu Syndicate are needing bottle caps/lids/chicken wire/fishing nylon/pieces of wire/fishing nets or pieces of netting for their sustainable art projects. Please put any contributions in the box outside the staffroom.

Thank you.

KINDO—Online School Shopping!

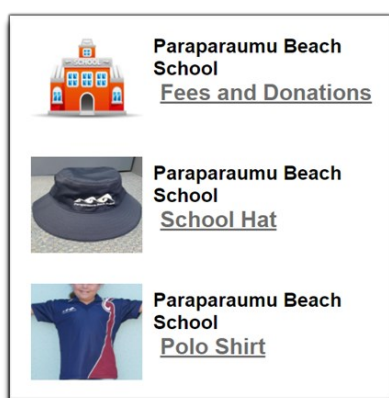
We are excited to let you know about our new online school shop!

Working together with Kindo, Paraparaumu Beach School can now bring you a fantastic way to view and pay for your child's school needs online. Shop anytime, anywhere!

Our Kindo online school shop is designed to make it easy for you to complete permission slips and view, register and pay for all of your child's needs.

All students were sent home an up-to-date statement yesterday (Monday).

Please note: If you wish to update your contact details, please contact the office (please **DO NOT DO THIS ON KINDO** as the contact details area is not linked to e-tap).



Our online shop will be open 24/7 and will be our preferred method of payment.

You can:

- ◇ View and pay for school activities and donations
- ◇ Complete permission slips online
- ◇ Support school fundraisers
- ◇ Top-up your account with credit to use later
- ◇ Order hats and polo shirts

No cash, no paper, no hassle!

We'll be adding more items to our school shop as the year progresses.

Set Up an Account

To set up an account easily all you need is your email address, which matches the one held by the school.

To register for a Kindo account go to our school website:

<http://paraparaumubeach.ultranet.school.nz> and click on the new "Shop" menu button. There you will see links to click on for '**First Time Users**' to Kindo and a link to follow for '**Registered Users**'. You can also see a link to a demonstration video to help get you started.

Choose to pay-as-you-go or add funds to your Kindo account in advance, using internet banking, account2account or Visa/Mastercard (fees apply).

It is our preferred method of payment and we encourage you to set up your account today!

Questions

Contact the school office on (04) 298-5775 or contact the Kindo helpdesk on freephone 0508 4 KINDO or email helpdesk@tgcl.co.nz

SAVE TIME—PAY ONLINE

THE GREAT PRE-LOVED KIDS CLOTHES EXTRAVAGANZA!

Come on down to the Great Pre-Loved Clothes Extravaganza
on Wednesday, 16 August (during Parent-Teacher Interviews)

in the PBS Hall from 2.30-8pm

Clothes ranging from \$1-\$5

Come and have a look at some good quality, pre-loved clothing,
shoes and accessories—some even brand new!

All money will go towards Yr 7/8 camp fees



FRIIS SCHOOL PHOTOS—JUNIORS/FAMILY AND SPORTS TEAMS

The next round of photos (Years 0-2, family and sports teams) will be taken on Tuesday, 29 August. Please see below for instructions:

Paraparaumu Beach School, Juniors, on 29th August, 2017

We will photograph portraits of all students as well as class photos.

You do not order/pay for your child's portraits or class photos until AFTER PHOTODAY.

You will receive an order envelope featuring a photo of your child after photoday. (Packs available below)

<p>Pack A \$35.00</p>	<p>Pack B \$29.50</p>	<p>Pack C \$28.00</p>	<p>Pack prices (do not pay now)</p> <p>A = 35.00 B = 29.50 C = 28.00 D = 20.00 E = 14.00</p>
<p>Packs include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Pack A: 10x8, 2x5x7, Postcards, Wallets, Calendar and Class <input type="checkbox"/> Pack B: 2x5x7, Postcards, Wallets, and Class <input type="checkbox"/> Pack C: 1x5x7 and Class <input type="checkbox"/> Pack D: 2x5x7, Postcards, Wallets, but no Class <input type="checkbox"/> Pack E: Class only <p>Pack D (Portraits) \$20.00</p> <p>Pack E (Class) \$14.00</p>			

Complimentary
Packs A-D include portrait file voucher. Email the code on the included voucher to us, and we send the file by return.
A, B & D include complimentary B&W 5x7's.

Family/Sibling Photos: Order form is on reverse of advice note which your child will bring home or you can go to Family Order Form at www.schoolmemories.co.nz to download a form. Order form MUST be returned to school office before photoday for photo to be taken.

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RECENT STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS:

Softball: Congratulations to Kelso Duncan who has been selected to attend Kapiti Softball Club's advanced training sessions with Lara Andrews (current NZ White Sox player and Pro USA Softball player) as a result of his performance during our 2016/17 season. This is limited to only 16 players and is truly an outstanding and exciting opportunity. Great work Kelso!

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Please note—community notices are accepted on a “publication if space allows” basis (thus no guarantee of publication can be given) three times per term (start/middle/end); **a small contribution of \$10 to the school for short “business” notices is appreciated before publication**; and finally and importantly, the publishing in the school newsletter of any community notice does not imply school sanctioning of, support for, or knowledge of the event or activity described

Hookway Tutoring: One to one tuition is offered to primary students at school or after school in writing, reading and mathematics which can be continued into college years. College students are provided tuition in maths until Yr 13 and science until Yr 11. College students can receive regular weekly lessons or one-off lessons prior to exams. Further details are at www.hookwaytutoring.co.nz or contact Brian Hookway on 021 179 0223 or 902 2453.

Samuel Marsden Collegiate School Whitby—Open Day: Yr 8 parents are invited to come to the Marsden Whitby Open Day on Friday, 18 August from 10am-12pm. Marsden Whitby is for boys and girls Yrs 7-13. Enrolments for 2018 are now open.

Hoop Club Kapiti—Junior Basketball Coaching Programme—T3 2017: Restarts Sunday, 6 August to Sunday, 24 September at KCDC Sportshall, Paraparaumu College, Mazengarb Road, Paraparaumu. 9.30-10.30 5-7yr olds; 10.30-11.30 8-10yr olds; 11.30-12.30 11-13yr olds. All new players most welcome. Contact Angelo Robinson on 904 0142 or ar.rimutaka@paradise.net.nz.

Paraparaumu Junior Badminton: Starts for T3 on Monday, 24 July at Kapiti College old gymnasium. Yrs 4-7 run from 5-6pm and Yr 8s and older from 6-7pm. \$3/night or \$25/term. Contact Mike Robertson on 027 282 4589.

Kapiti Toy Library Quiz Night: Thursday, 3 August at 7pm at the Jolly Pub. Fundraising for the Kapiti Toy Library—\$10pp. Tickets from the Toy Library, Unit B, 118 Kapiti Road, Mon 12-2pm, Fri and Sat 9.30-11.30am or ph/text 027 465 6244 for tickets.



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Presents:

A fashion show fundraiser at



Wednesday 30th August

Doors open 7pm show starts at 7:30pm

Ballentynes
19 Maclean Street
Paraparaumu Beach

Tickets \$15 includes drink and nibbles



Any queries please contact Jenni - 0274 591888
Fundraising for years 7 & 8 school camp to Curious Cove



Ballentynes Fashion Show – Wednesday 30th August 7pm

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Number of Tickets: _____ Class Number: _____

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Pie Order Form -

2017 Years 7/8 Camp Fundraiser



Childs Name: _____

Room: _____ Contact Phone: _____

- The family meat pies contain a real meat and vegetable filling
- They are a minimum weight of 600g
- They are freeze thaw stable and can be frozen and reheated later without losing their quality
- The family dessert pies can be eaten hot or cold. They can also be frozen

Flavour (All Family size)	Unit Price	Number required	Total
Cottage Pie (Potato topped mince)	\$9.40		
Savoury Mince (Minced beef with tomatoes and spices)	\$9.40		
Mince and Cheese (Minced beef and cheese)	\$9.40		
Steak and Onion (Diced steak with lots of onions & gravy)	\$9.40		
Steak & Kidney (Diced steak in a rich dark gravy)	\$9.40		
Cracked Pepper Steak (Diced steak with cracked pepper with gravy)	\$9.40		
Country Chicken (Seasonal vegetable and diced chicken)	\$9.40		
Mediterranean Lamb (Diced lamb in a tomato base with Mediterranean spices)	\$9.40		
Mince	\$9.40		
Apple	\$9.40		
Apricot	\$9.40		
Caramel	\$9.40		
Lemon	\$9.40		
Total Order			

Our preferred method for ordering and payment is using the school's new online system KINDO - see the school website Shop page for details: <http://paraparaumubeach.ultranet.school.nz/Web/678/>
Alternatively, please enclose cash with your order form and return it to the school money box by Thursday, 10 August (no change will be given).

Payment Method:

- ☐ Kindo (you don't need to return this form if you order using Kindo)
- ☐ Cash

Total payment enclosed \$_____

Orders and payment due by Thursday, 10 August. **Delivery date Thursday, 24 August.**